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In re: Schlueter

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For: Dual function UV-Absorbers for  
Ophthalmic Lens Materials

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UNDER 37 CFR §1.97(b)(3)**

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Sir:

Applicant submits the attached PTO Form 1449 and copy of two (2) references prior to the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits in the above-referenced application.

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Applicant requests that the references listed in the accompanying PTO Form 1449 be considered during prosecution of the above-referenced application, and that these references appear among the "References Cited" on any patent issuing herefrom.

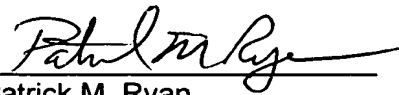
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